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Says WILL ROGERS

NEW YORK CITY.—I used to write a good deal about what I read in the papers. But you know I been reading a lot of these other Writers of Sunday, and they write mostly about themselves, and they seem to be doing mighty well too.

It seems that Caesar's or Hannibal or somebody's early days, there was some old Writer called Peppy, and all he did was just write what he did. Well he didn't do much, (but write) for there wasn't much to do in those days. Oh yes, drink. Well he had some kind of peculiar ways of saying things and his spelling was bad. I can't personally stand anybody with bad spelling. I am off anybody that can't spell.

But this old fellow could make nothing sound good, the way he laid it on the line. He had two expressions, and if he just hadn't happened to use them, why none of our modern Writers could have copied him, for these all they can copy him in, they just use these two lines over again and in and think they are doing a Peppy line was "Lay late," and the other was "Woke betimes." Well I am going to do some of that "Lay late" and "Woke betimes."

My first trip east from California was a couple of weeks ago. The night before I started I "Lay late." No I didn't, it was two nights before I started that I "Lay late." The morning that I started I didn't "Lay late," in fact I didn't lay down at all. I had to catch a train that was leaving away over in Burbank, Cal. (This is not Burbank home, it's Jim Jeffries) and I was away out at my little ranch at Santa Monica. It was leaving around five o'clock and you can't do much "Laying late" and make that kind of a getaway.

Burbank and Glendale look mighty sparkling like from the early dawn, then out over Los Angeles, its spread out, well you have to look at it by lights to see how far it is spread out, then out over Los Angeles. Then nothing to see till we hit Phoenix, or near Phoenix where the irrigation lands start in. Those thousands of flat squares are beautiful from the air.

At Phoenix was met by a band of Citizens that wanted me to stay or come back to a bar where they were going to have a "Racket" they wanted me to stop over and enter into. No it was Douglas where this bunch was. It was on the Mexican line. I wouldn't have minded stopping there. Then on to El Paso, had lunch, changed Pilots, got there about 1:30 P. M. about three days ride on the train, then started across Texas.

Oh yes I am leaving out some of these "Woke betimes." At each stop I "Woke betimes" for I slept all the rest of the way. Well I "Lay late" at Big Springs and like to not "Woke betimes" to see another Delightful, that wanted to draw my attention to a 15 story brick hotel that I would pass over as we passed over the town on leaving. Associated Press man there, and he got everything wrong but the name of the town and mislabeled it.

Then to Abilene (Sweet Abilene, My Abilene, in all my dreams, I haven't sung that old song since 1920. There I woke betimes and Amos G. Carter had a special place to meet me to take me to Ft. Worth. For he didn't want me to have to see Dallas. Had a nice night there, woke betimes, met a lot of nice folks that was going to handle my little University tour, through the State, then saw up to Tulsa, where met equally as nice bunch for Okla. Then drove my Auto 45 miles to Chelsea, and spent the night at my only Sisters home, saw a new Nicot baby, nice Baby too, had one visit, lots of my family.

Lay late. No not there, awoke betimes, then caught the plane for St. Louis, was going to Chicago, but just as both planes was pulling out grabbed the one for Columbus, Ohio, and New York. Columbus never knew what they were doing. Wouldn't take the money for my fare on the plane so everybody had to wait till they went and got the ticket fixed up. They will trust the Pilots with your life but not with \$25, which was the fare to Columbus. Got to Indianapolis, was met by some Newspaper friends and Co-workers of the Indianapolis News. Talked about the Indiana News, the late Humorist, "Abe Martin." They told me my junk had took his old place on the back page. (Which it had occupied for 35 years.) Imagine me trying to replace him. What would be like Clara. Now replacing Mrs. Chapman Catt. So long, I am going to Lay late.

Mid-Winter Carnival, Feb. 6-7-8

BIG PROGRAM OF ENTERTAINMENT AND SPORTS AWAITS REVELERS

OPENS FRIDAY WITH CARNIVAL BALL AT SCHOOL GYM. MONSTER PARADE SAT. CONTESTS SUNDAY

Northern lights will point their darts toward Grayling next week when the third annual mid-winter carnival will be celebrated. Snappy figures—snowmen, animals or any cold weather, plenty of snow and ice and the beautiful winter festival setting of Lake Margrethe makes this an event ideal and one that is being looked forward to each year with still more eager anticipation.

Bigger and better than ever, say those in charge of the carnival and a lot of others. Come to the Av-

to be duly coronated. This latter feature is always a pretty and pleasing affair and nobody should miss it. Mr. A. E. Martin, the "Space Filler" of the Avalanche force, in interest of the young boys and girls of the town has generously offered cash prizes totalling \$10.00 for the best snow figures—snowmen, animals or any other snow articles. He requests that these be placed upon wood platforms so that they may be moved and shown in the parade. Here is a chance for the boys and girls of Grayling to exercise their ingenuity and skill at snow and ice sculpture. Let's have those in charge of the carnival and a lot of others. Come to the Av-



CARNIVAL QUEEN AND HER COURT

They are upper—Helen Lietz, Queen of the Carnival; Seated, left to right—Margaret Warren, Anne Marie Mary Mahoney and Edith Bidwell, Queen of Grayling at Bay City Water Carnival, maids of honor, and Lorraine Budge and Ellen Goffro.

Everything points to another successful event.

Choose Queen at Carnival Ball. The event will begin with a carnival ball at the school gymnasium Friday evening at which time the Carnival Queen will be selected. Ballots are now being circulated which will be deposited in a ballot box at the post office and the five young Misses receiving the highest number of votes will be candidates for final choice at the Carnival ball Friday night. Be there to take part in the ceremonies and to enjoy a social dancing party. Appropriate decorations are being planned for the ballroom.

Monster Parade Saturday. At 1:30 p. m. Saturday there will be a carnival parade of the queen and her court, floats, sleighs, and other

alanche office for entry blank and then get busy so as to be ready in time. Toboggan Slide Is Ideal. A double toboggan slide, iced and ready to await the merry-makers. Every care has been taken to make the slide safe and sane and the management says there is no danger of accident provided the participants adhere to the rules and avoid stunt sliding. There will be plenty of opportunity for those who enjoy snowshoeing, skiing and skating. Everything will be "set" ready for the carnival, and unless the attendance is far in excess of expectations, there will be plenty of toboggans. Those not owning toboggans may rent them at a nominal cost.

Lumberjack Feed. Last year the "Lumberjack" feed made quite a hit but it was served

to the close of the carnival—eat when ever and as often as you desire. Lumberjack Basketball Game. One not familiar with the Grayling Lumberjacks basketball team might believe that it was an organization outfitted with hob-nail boots, Mackinaw suits, etc. But instead they are one of the fastest basketball teams in the state. They will meet the Graylord Indians on the court floor at the school gymnasium Saturday night, the starting whistle to blow at 9:00 p. m. Here will be a good chance to rest up from the winter sports exertions and at the same time witness two fast basketball ball teams fight it out. Admission 25 and 50c.

Airplanes to Be Here. Those who attended the carnival last year will recall the thrill they got from the Bay City Air Squadron. These aviators took an active part in the program and will do so again this year. They will lead the parade from the air and put on the thrills at Lake Margrethe.

Thrilling Races. Sunday there will be a program of competitive sports, consisting of toboggan races, ski and snowshoe races, skating, etc. Not the least thrilling of these will be the ski races down the icy toboggan slides by some of our daring Finns. Here is a deed of daring and is sure to give plenty of thrills. Another stunt by these Finnish friends will be skijoring over the ice of Lake Margrethe in tow of airplanes. That certainly isn't going to be any tame affair and sounds much more dangerous than sliding the toboggan shuttles. Speeding over the ice on skis behind an airplane is certain to be fast work and the least mishap would mean a spill, and who knows but that the aviator might give them an aerial flight as well. Don't miss seeing these stunts.

Program. Friday night, Feb. 6th, carnival dance and choosing of the queen at school gym, 9:00 p. m. Saturday, Feb. 7th, Carnival parade at 1:30 p. m. Crowning of Queen of Winter Sports, 8:30 p. m. at Lake Margrethe. Sliding, Skiing, skating and snowshoeing. Lumberjack dinner beginning at 11:00 a. m. and continuing to Sunday night. Sunday, Feb. 8th, Morning, sleep in church or at home. 2:30 p. m. Winter sports contest. The Winter Sports committee includes Roy Miles, Marius L. Insley, LaVerne Cushman and Frank X. Tetu.

THREE BIG GAMES FRIDAY NIGHT

ROSCOMMON AND GRAYLORD ST. MARY'S TEAMS HERE

With three basketball games scheduled for Friday night Grayling fans are bound to get their money's worth.

The High School will play the St. Mary's team of Graylord and also the Roscommon High School the same evening. As a preliminary to the big games the reserve teams of Grayling and Roscommon will play. The Grayling band will be on hand as usual and no doubt there will be a loyal lot of spectators from Roscommon and many from Graylord. Prices of admission are 25 and 35c.

The people feel that politics should be cleaned up, but it can never be done with soft soap.

BOYS SPEND NIGHT IN WOODS

Carl Englund and Bradford Billings of Bay City had been guests for several days of Mr. and Mrs. Algot Johnson.

Fishing seemed to be their main sport, so on Wednesday they decided to go to Sand Hill Lake. The weather was bitter cold, in fact one of the coldest days we have had this winter.

The boys did not show up in the evening and the Johnson family became worried. Mr. Johnson, accompanied by Henry Bradley, started out at nine o'clock to hunt for them, thinking perhaps the boys had lost their way. They followed the trail the boys had taken for several miles but turned back as it seemed it was a long way around to the lake and it would take them until morning to reach it.

Again the next morning Mr. Johnson in company with Nick Nelson started out about seven o'clock, following the exact trail the boys had taken, and wading in deep snow up to their waists, until they finally located the camp where the boys had been, but they had gone, and when they arrived home at one o'clock the boys had been there for several hours. They explained they were not familiar with the trail to Grayling so spent the night in the woods.

Both of the boys are boy scouts and knew what to do in case they had to spend a night in the woods in zero weather.

Carl Englund is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Englund of Bay City, formerly of Grayling, and Bradford Billings is his cousin.

JOHANNESBURG PROUD OF SCHOOL

Johannesburg is one the proudest towns in Michigan now and well it may be, for it has dedicated the first agricultural school built in Northern Michigan, which is modern in every respect. This new building was dedicated Tuesday, and throughout the day visitors inspected the building and classes, which carried on their regular work, and in the evening the formal dedication services were held in the assembly room, which was packed to capacity.

This new school, which is a brick building two stories high, given to the township by the Johannesburg Manufacturing Co. when it ceased operation two years ago, was remodeled into a modern school throughout, from a domestic science department with an adequate kitchen, to the advanced work for high schools.

The building consists of six recitation rooms, a large assembly which will seat over a hundred people, a recreation room, running water throughout, beautifully lighted with electricity from modern light globes hanging from the ceiling, a clock in each room, and an electric clock in the assembly which rings the bells for the different classes automatically.

The equipment from the old building was used wherever possible, being newly varnished and repaired until it looks like new, and so arranged to get the maximum light, seating capacity and convenience for students and teachers. * * * Graylord Herald Times.



A. E. Martin

WHAT'S A CORONATION WITH-OUT A DIADEM

"Tell all de angels to come down, An' don't forget to bring golden crown!"

So runs the old negro melody and it is dropped in here as a gentle reminder to the Winter Sports committee to make doubly sure that the article in question is available at the proper moment in the ceremony of "Crowning the Queen"—for who has forgotten the serio-comic anti-climax caused by the lack of this emblem of royalty at the coronation at Lake Margrethe last season.

SNOWMAN CONTEST

The Space Filler is offering TEN DOLLARS in cash prizes to the youngsters who can make the best snowman or snow figures.

First prize, \$10.00; second prize, \$3.00; third prize, \$2.00; and fourth and fifth prizes, 50c each.

All those wishing to try for these prizes must call at the Avalanche office after Friday, Jan. 30, and not later than Wednesday, Feb. 4, for a numbered entry blank and have their names and ages placed thereon. These blanks must be preserved and presented with their snowman at the Avalanche office on Saturday morning, Feb. 7, not later than 10:00 o'clock. A neatly placed will be designated where to place the snowman for exhibition.

The exhibits will be numbered same as numbers on entry blanks, and three competent judges will select the winners, designating them by the numbers on the exhibits—not knowing to whom each snowman belongs.

The snowman or snow figures may be of either snow or ice, and should be built on a platform or base of boards and should be well frozen together so it will not fall to pieces when moved or placed upon a track or sleigh—as the winning figures will probably be taken in the parade. If it is freezing weather it might be well to spray the whole figure with water the night before, thus cementing it all together with a coat of ice.

For any further information regarding the contest see A. E. Martin at the Avalanche office.

Here is an opportunity for at least five youngsters to win cash prizes as well as exercise their mechanical and artistic skill in doing their bit to make the Mid-Winter Carnival entertaining.

HOW THEY GROW

A Detroit paper under date of January 8, published the story of several hundred men and boys making a "drive" on Grosse Ile to coral rabbits which have become very numerous on the island, to the despair of gardeners. The rabbits corrupted were to be shipped to the market as part of the state, but ONLY 24 WERE CAPTURED.

After perusing the above item through magnifying glasses, the scribe of the News Palladium at Benton Harbor wrote the story thusly: "The biggest rabbit hunt ever recorded outside of Australia occurred recently on Grosse Ile, in the Detroit River. It was led by the chief of police and participated in by several hundred men and boys. THOUSANDS OF RABBITS WERE BAGGED, but not a shot was heard. This is far better than wholesale butchery. The idea may be worth adopting elsewhere."

Basket Ball 3 GAMES



Friday Nite JAN. 30th

Roscommon 1st & 2d Teams

St. Mary's [Gaylord]

Grayling H.S.

Prices, 25 and 35c

WOMAN'S CLUB NOTES

The Woman's Club met on January 25th at the home of Mrs. Anna Herberich and responded to roll call with New Year's resolutions. After a paper by Carl Sandberg, all contributed a poem learned in childhood.

On January 12th, the meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Anna Herberich. The evening was spent in a discussion of India. Miss Eva Dorr read a paper on political relations, with special reference to Mahatma Gandhi. Miss Margaret Hemmingson read a review of Margaret May's book, "Mother India" and Miss Vella Hermann gave a review of the refutation by the prominent Hindoo Mukhyi, "A Son of Mother India Answers."

January 19th, the club met with Mrs. Jennie Sorenson. After roll call, responded to by naming musical artists, the evening was given over to three papers on "America in Music." Miss McAllister gave an interesting paper on America's Position in Music. Miss Ingeborg Hanson gave a sketch of the lives of Joseph Hoffmann, Victor Herbert and Carrie Jacobs Bond and Mrs. Florence Tetu gave a comprehensive report of American orchestra leaders. Miss Claire Jacques sang two charming selections. Mrs. Sorenson brought a very pleasant meeting to a close by serving delicious refreshments.

On January 26th, a meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Eva Joseph with the topic, "Parent Teachers Association." Interesting papers were read by Miss Vella Hermann and Miss Eva Dorr. Dr. R. B. Hpwad gave an instructive description of the work done by the Couzens Child Welfare in this section. Attorney Marius Insley also addressed the club, on "The Types of Courts" in a very interesting talk. Songs by Mary Jane Joseph, Jean Brady, Virginia Peterson and Gloria McNeven added to the enjoyment of the evening.

It is difficult to interpret dreams, but when people dream of getting rich quick, it usually means they are about to lose some money.

LUMBERJACKS DEFEAT ALPENA

The Alpena Indians, crack basketball aggregation of the north, fell before the rushes of the local Lumberjacks last Saturday night at the High School gym 34-23, in a thriller that proved Lumberjack supremacy all the way.

It was difficult at first to determine which combination would check the invaders, but the problem was solved when Coach Cushman substituted H. LaGrow for Hendrickson and Robertson for Neal.

Vanini, Alpena's dangerous ex-high school and all-state star failed to turn in anything spectacular due to the stellar defense of the locals.

The lineup:
Lumberjacks—34. Hendrickson, Neal, Harrison, Brady, Wylie.
Alpena—23. LaLonde, Thomas, Jahnke, Vanini, McGirr.
Referee: Milnes.

ROSCOMMON TO DEDICATE NEW SCHOOL

Will Be Known as Gerrish-Higgins High School

Roscommon is making elaborate preparations for the opening and dedication of their new consolidated school to be known as the Gerrish-Higgins High School, which was recently completed. The dates set for the program are Thursday and Friday, February 5 and 6, and a number of Grayling people have received invitations to attend the ceremonies.

Both Thursday and Friday there will be public inspections by all interested and in the afternoon and evening a program of addresses and speeches. Grayling Band, Rev. J. W. Greenwood and Rev. J. L. Culligan are on the program for Thursday evening.

Brothers Famous Singers. Jean de Heeske began his operatic career as a baritone. After a few years, he became convinced that his voice was a tenor, left the stage for further study, and returned as a tenor. His brother, known as a famous bass, Jean de Heeske died in 1925. Edouard, in 1917.

Rialto Theatre (GRAYLING)

Thursday and Friday, Jan. 29-30
Will Rogers in "LIGHTS"
Saturday, Jan. 31st (only)
Matinee at 3:00; Evening at 7:00.
John Mack Brown in "THE GREAT MEADOW"
Sunday and Monday, Feb. 1-2
George Bangroft in "THE SCANDAL SHEET"
Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 3-4
Frederic March in "THE ROYAL FAMILY OF BROADWAY"

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**JOHN J. NIEDERER RECALLS A
BIT OF ROAD HISTORY**

Friend Schumann:
Kindly permit me to recall to you
a bit of history of Crawford County's
political and civic activities.

As you perhaps remember a num-
ber of years ago, the exact dates
you will find on record at the Court
house, the County Road Commission-
ers submitted to the Board of Super-
visors, the proposition of the con-
struction of a State trunk line road
east and west across the state from
Lake Huron to Lake Michigan, con-
necting the county seats of Alpena,
Oscoda, Crawford, Kalkaska and
Grand Traverse counties.

The Board of Supervisors then de-
cided to take the matter up and un-
der the leadership of their Chairman,
M. A. Bates, arrangements were made
to meet in joint session with the
Board of Supervisors in each of the
several counties. At all of these
meetings the proposition was well
received in each county with assur-
ance of most willing cooperation.

A committee was then formed con-
sisting of two supervisors and one
County Road Commissioner from
each county to present a petition to
Frank F. Rogers, the then State High-
way Commissioner. Mr. Rogers was
very favorably impressed with the
request and the action taken in
connection therewith, and agreed to
bring the petition before the Advisory
Board and to act as conditions and
State finances would deem it most
advisable.

Much credit is due to Mr. Bates,
who took a very active part and
acted as spokesman for the County at
all the meetings.

Results so far can be recorded
thusly:

The highway from Traverse City
to Kalkaska is now a Federal owned
road, in good condition. On the east
from Harrisville west, M-72 has been
extended as far as M-10 and from
there to Luzerne, and on Monday of
last week, Jan. 13th, at their meet-
ing the Highway Committee of the
State Administrative Board author-
ized the following project, to-wit: 18
miles of gravel on M-76 from Gray-
ling to a point east of Kalkaska.

Thanks to Mr. Rogers and his suc-
cessors and to the new Administra-
tive Board, congratulations to Gray-
ling and Crawford County. Now
there remains only a short gap to
be closed up; that is the road from
Grayling to Luzerne along our County
Road No. 5 and the whole of this
State trunk line road will be com-
pleted as originally intended. Stick
to it boys and eventually you will
succeed.

Your friend,
John J. Niederer.

**TOP O' MICHIGAN POTATO AS-
SOCIATION ANNUAL MEET-
ING**

The Annual Meeting of the Top
O' Michigan Potato Association was
held at Gaylord last week.

Seventy-five farmers, county agents
and business men were present to
hear the report of last year's activi-
ties and discuss plans for the Ninth
Annual Show to be held at Gaylord,
October 28, 29 and 30 next fall.

The admission of alfalfa seed and
small grain to the Show was proposed
and final action referred to the ex-
ecutive committee.

Practically all of the old directors

were re-elected and represent one
farmer and the County Agricultural
Agent from each county in the Top
O' Michigan territory.

The directors for the next year are
as follows: Alpena County, A. S.
Clemens and Casper Blumer; Al-
pena County, R. J. Gehrke and C. H.
Blivin; Antrim County, C. W. Wing
and Kenneth Ousterhout; Cheboygan
County, J. Fred Brady and Paul Bar-
rett; Charlevoix County, Douglas
Tibbets and B. C. Melencamp; Craw-
ford County, O. B. Scott; Emmet
County, Dale Nichols and A. R. Schu-
bert; Kalkaska County, Floyd Jon-
kins and B. E. Mugrave; Montmoren-
cy County, E. O. Briley and H. D.
Lakin; Oscoda County, Frank Henry;
Oscoda County, John Guggisberg and
L. L. Drake; Presque Isle County, L.
D. Traflet and J. C. Brown.

In addition the following directors
were re-elected: T. F. Marston, North-
eastern Michigan Development Bur-
eau; J. J. Bird, Michigan State Col-
lege; O. B. Price, Michigan Central
Railroad, and A. C. Carlton, State De-
partment of Agriculture, ex-officers.

All of the officers were re-elected
and include: President, R. J. Gehrke,
Ossineke; Vice-President, Dale Nick-
ols, Pellston; Business Manager, C. H.
Blivin, Alpena; Secretary, B. C. Mel-
encamp, Boyne City; Treasurer, F.
W. Dikwath, Boyne City.

NIAGARA BREAK PUZZLES GEOLOGISTS

Explaining the cause of the fall of
a large section of the rim of the
American side of Niagara Falls may
puzzle geologists, since in the past,
the recession of the American Falls
has been slow and regular, states
Professor William H. Hobbs, head of
the Department of Geology in the
University of Michigan.

"This break, characterized as the
largest in the history of the Falls,
and said to cover an area of 200-300
feet, seems to be the result of
unsuspected washing out of the softer
under layers of rock, for it cannot
be accounted for by the usual erosive
effect of stones churned up in the
water," Professor Hobbs said. "It is
surprising to the geologists, since
falls of rock have been much more
common on the Canadian side, the
average recession of the American
cattarug being in the past only about
one inch a year, due to the small
amount of water flowing over the falls."

NO HUNTING SIGNS ON STATE PROPERTY

To nail up a "no hunting" sign
and enjoy a profitable lack of com-
petition in the woods or along a fish-
ing stream, when the woods and wa-
ters are state property, is a practice
that has occurred too often of late
on the western side of the state, with-
out official cognizance, according
to the Holland, Mich., Fish and Game
club.

The Club reported the practice to
the Conservation Commission at Lan-
sing at its January meeting and asked
for action. "No hunting" and "no
fishing" signs have appeared in favor-
ite spots when it was later discover-
ed that the signs were on property
owned or controlled by the state and
on which the public had a right to
hunt and fish.

The Commission will ask the state
legislature to make such an offense
a misdemeanor and will ask that some
uniform and official sign be adopted
to give a semblance of legality to
them, and to aid in preventing the
posting of unauthorized warnings and
orders.

Overheard in the lobby of a De-
troit Hotel:
First Manufacturer—"If the Legis-
lature passes a State Income
Tax I am going to MOVE."
Second Manufacturer—"So will I."

Surety bonds for all purposes. Ap-
ply to O. P. Schumann, Avalanche
Office.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

**Remarkable Report on the Prohibition Problem Made by
the Wickersham Commission—J. A. Farrell
Says Prosperity Is Coming Back.**

By EDWARD W. PICKARD



George W.
Wickersham

THE one wholly honest member ap-
pears to be Monte Leman of New Or-
leans, who refused to sign the major-
ity report. The other ten attached
their names to it and gave out state-
ments showing that no one of them
agreed with its findings in their en-
tirety.

This majority report is against re-
peal of the Eighteenth amendment,
and, admitting that prohibition has
not been enforced or observed, recom-
mends that it be given further trial,
with an enlarged force of agents. Re-
moval of the restrictions on the pre-
scription of medicinal liquor by physi-
cians is advised. If the dry amend-
ment is to be revised at all, the com-
mission is agreed on certain phrase-
ology which would empower congress
to deal with the liquor traffic as it
sees fit. Modification of the Volstead
act so as to permit the manufacture
and sale of light wines and beer is
opposed.

In a separate report the plan for
revision giving congress the power to
regulate or prohibit the manufacture
and sale of liquor was set forth in de-
tail by Henry W. Anderson of Vir-
ginia, and it was signed by Cam-
meyer, Anderson, Kenyon, Loebe,
Fernald, McCormick and Mackintosh.
Statements of the individual com-
missioners appended to the general re-
port showed that, of the eleven mem-
bers, six consider it hopeless to ex-
pect that prohibition can be made to
prohibit. Two of these six—former
Secretary of War Newton D. Baker
of Ohio and Prof. Monte L. Leman
of Tulane university, La.—advocate
repeal of the Eighteenth amendment.
The other four of these six—Mr. An-
derson, Ada L. Comstock, president of
Radcliffe college; Frank J. Loebe of
Chicago, and Dean Roscoe Pound of
Harvard law school—favor immediate
revision of the Eighteenth amendment
to confer the power of regulation on
congress.

Five of the members—Chairman
George W. Wickersham, United States
Judges William S. Kenyon, Paul L.
McCormick and William L. Grubb, and
former Chief Justice K. M. Mackin-
tosh—of the Washington Supreme
court—stood out for a further trial.
Judges Kenyon, McCormick and Mc-
Cormick said that if the further ex-
periment failed they would favor adop-
tion of the Anderson plan of national
regulation of liquor.

In transmitting the report to con-
gress, President Hoover said he was
in accord with its stand against re-
peal of the dry amendment, and ad-
ded: "I do, however, see serious ob-
jections to, and therefore must not be
understood as recommending the com-
mission's proposed revision of the
Eighteenth amendment which is sug-
gested by them for possible considera-
tion at some future time if the con-
tinued effort at enforcement should not
prove successful."

Senator John L. Blaine of Wiscon-
sin was quick to introduce a motion-
picture amendment on the general lines
of the plan offered by Commissioner
Anderson but combining congressional
power to regulation of liquor traffic.
Like the Anderson scheme, it would
permit each state to decide whether
it desires prohibition or a government-
controlled liquor supply.

STANDING by his
conviction that the
funds of the Red
Cross should be ob-
tained by private
subscription, Presi-
dent Hoover has
named a committee of
leading citizens to
push the drive for
\$10,000,000 for the
relief of the drought
sufferers. Calvin
Coolidge, his prede-
cessor, has accepted the
honorary chairmanship of this body,
and Al Smith, his opponent in
1928, is a vice president, as are
John W. Davis, Democratic candi-
date for the presidency in 1924; Gen.
John J. Pershing, and Abel Davis of
Chicago. John Hartigan, head of the
Red Cross, is the active chairman of
the committee.

In a letter to those invited to serve
on the committee, the President
said that "it is essential that we
should maintain the sound American
tradition and spirit of voluntary aid
in such emergency and should not
undermine that spirit which has made
our Red Cross the outstanding organi-
zation of our people in time of disaster."
The American way of meeting

all of the trout shut off within the
area. The number of fish per mile
was then computed.

22,000 TROUT IN MILE
There is one stream in Michigan
that has 22,000 trout within a mile.
It sounds like an angler's dream.
But the sticker is that 98 per cent
of the 22,000 fish counted were short-
er than the legal limit.

In the study of stream conditions
as relating to fish food, etc., the In-
stitute for Fisheries Research of the
Conservation Department blocked off
a section of a stream and counted

such a relief problem has been through
voluntary effort and for many years
this effort has been centered in the
American Red Cross, created by the
people themselves to act in just such
emergencies.

OBSTRUCTIONIST tactics in the
senate delayed the Interior de-
partment bill, to which had been ap-
propriated the \$25,000,000 appropriation
for the Red Cross for food, but the
measure was passed. The senate also
had further relief plans. The agri-
culture committee approved a measure
to donate 20,000,000 bushels of farm
board wheat to feed the hungry, the
cost of the grain to be credited to the
board's revolving fund; and the
appropriation committee added to a
pending deficiency bill \$20,000,000 for
immediate public improvements.

In a filibuster against prohibition en-
forcement, appropriations, attacking
especially funds for employment of
informers for purchase of liquor
evidence and for tapping the telephone
wires of suspected law violators.

ELIHU ROOT appeared before the
senate foreign relations committee
and eloquently defended the protocols
for American adherence to the World
court which he negotiated. His argu-
ments were forcible and his replies to
questions seemed adequate, but his
address did not appear to have much
effect on Senators Borah, Moses and
Johnson, members of the committee
and opponents of adherence even with
the senate's reservations.

BUSINESS in the
United States is
now on the upgrade,
the lack of the finan-
cial depression was
assured before the be-
ginning of the year,
and the prospects for
a better industrial
prosperity are good,
such, at least, is the
opinion of James A.
Farrell, president of
the United States
Steel corporation as ex-
pressed in an address to the National Can-
cuners and the National Whole-
sale Grocers associations in joint
convention in Chicago. He de-
precated the suggestions of revision
of inter-lateral war debts as a measure
of relief, and urged that we do the
things that we can, "let us cut down
the volume of undistributed talk that
rarely helps but always hampers," he
said.

Granting that unemployment is con-
siderable and that the national in-
come has been reduced, the steel mag-
nate contended it was essential for
prosperity to maintain the purchasing
power of the working classes, adding:
"Make my deliberate judgment that a
general reduction of wages in this
country would set back the impending
recovery by at least two years."

The current situation Mr. Far-
rell described as most serious ever.
But, he said, lasting gain will be
made for a future by resort to
"frankness, honesty and sound econ-
omics."

PRICES of bread
and other
foodstuffs are being
investigated in order
of the senate by an
agricultural subcom-
mittee of the senate.

Senator Arthur Capper
of Kansas is chair-
man. Senators Wap-
ner of New York and
Brookhart of Iowa
were the authors of
the resolution call-
ing for the inquiry, first appeared
before the committee and explained their
views and their reasons for thinking
current prices to be excessive.

Afterwards representatives of the
big bread baking companies and other
traders were called in to tell the
facts as they see them and to justify.
If they could, the maintenance of pre-
sent prices of bread in view of the low
prices of wheat.

REPRESENTATIVE FISH'S house
has reported, recommending strength-
ening the laws which would enable
the authorities to curb those activities
in the United States. The Russian
Soviet press keeps ridiculing on the re-
port, declaring it is impudent and in-
sulting and that it indicates the "fringe
of the bourgeois press," that the Soviet
people will succeed in its industrial
revolution.

Soviet officials announce that Rus-
sia is about to resume the dumping
of grain on the world markets, her
supply largely exceeding the needs of
the Russian people.

KEEP away from Las Vegas, is the
warning to jobless workers who
seek employment on the Boulder dam
project. The labor organization, the official
organ of railroad labor organizations.
The paper says:

Soviet Symbols
The symbols which occur on the
Standard of the flag of the U. S. S. R.
represent the Russian government of the
Russian people, in which the Soviet
government is designated. The sickle
signifies the present, the hammer the
factory work and the star the future
of the Soviet enterprise.

"Despite the fact that contracts on
the \$105,000,000 government project
have not been awarded, Las Vegas has
been flooded with thousands of job-
less and destitute men. Hundreds of
these unfortunate job seekers were
deceived by rosy reports circulated
by unscrupulous employment agencies,
in the opinion of Francis I. Jones, gen-
eral director of the United States em-
ployment service.

"Capt. Robert M. Griffin of the Sal-
vation army at Las Vegas recently
declared that Las Vegas has the long-
est bread line in the United States,
according to population. More than
7,000 jobless workers were given aid
by the Salvation army in one month,
Captain Griffin reports."

The first contracts for Boulder dam
will not be awarded until March and
men who insist on going there in
search of employment are advised by
the United States employment service
to be prepared to take care of them-
selves for at least four months.

PACIFISTS and ad-
vocates of ade-
quate national defense
came together in
Washington in the
sixth national con-
ference on the cause
and cure of war. The
big meeting was at-
tended by more than
600 delegates from 44
states, and was held
under the auspices of
the National Women's
Organization, whose
aim in this respect is to
complete the demobilization of what
they call "the war machine." One of
the speakers on the program was Rear
Admiral Mark Bristol, chairman
of the executive committee of
the navy general board; and his argu-
ments for defense were ably seconded
by Admiral William V. Pratt, chief
of naval operations, and Edward P.
Warner, former assistant secretary of
the navy in charge of aeronautics.
Among the pacifist speakers were Miss
Jane Adams of the "International
League for Peace and Freedom" and
Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt.

DISPATCHES from Geneva say that
the central organ board of the
League of Nations was compelled, by
objections from representatives of
France and Yugoslavia, to delete from
its report caustic criticism of the
"abnormal" narcotics consumption in
Japan and France, the inference be-
ing that drugs supposedly for medical
purposes had escaped from regu-
lar channels and been made available
to the illicit dope dealers. The ex-
purgated report read to the league
council merely mentioned "certain
countries," but at the same time un-
folded to the council the fact that
seizures of opium illicitly transported
were now in tons where heretofore
they had been in ounces.

The league commission to study
Britain's United States of Europe
scheme decided, after a warm debate,
to invite Russia, Turkey and Iceland
to participate in the discussions of
the economic phases of the plan when
it is taken up again, probably next
May.

**PAUL VON HIN-
denburg**, president
of the German repub-
lic, was the chief at-
tendee in the enthusias-
tic celebration of the
sixtieth anniversary
of Germany unity; and
the eighty-three-year-
old warrior seemed
almost as vigorous as
he must have been in
January 18, 1871, President Von
when as a lieutenant
he stood in the Hall
of Mirrors at Versailles and heard
Bismarck proclaim the federated
state of Germany an empire.

The ceremonies in Berlin opened
with a solemn assembly of all mem-
bers of the government in the re-
siding where Chancellor Brüning made
an appeal for mutual understanding
and repeated Bismarck's pledge that
the nation would seek wealth through
peace, not war. Then President von
Hindenburg attended a reunion in the
Berlin Sportplatz where about 12,000
former officers and soldiers gathered.

HAVING adopted a skeletonized
plan for giving India dominion
status, the round table conference in
London adjourned with most of the
delegates satisfied. However, the
Gandhi adherents in India are not at
all pleased with the scheme and im-
mediately began attacking it in various
ways. National congress newspapers
denounce it as a system of camouflaged
independence designed to pro-
vide safeguards for Great Britain.

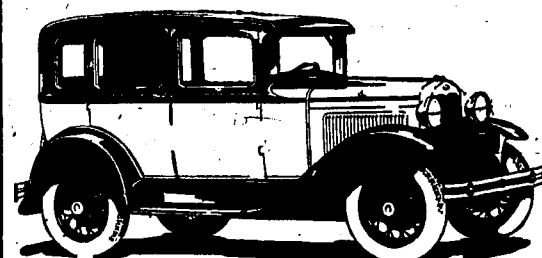
BAREHEADED and wearing ordi-
nary street clothes, Col. Charles
A. Lindbergh went to a gathering of
distinguished officials and diplomats
in Washington and received from the
hands of Ambassador Claudel of
France the cross of commander of the
Legion of Honor.

In presenting the cross, Ambassa-
dor Claudel said the westward flight
of Coste and Bellonte last September
was a success largely because Lind-
bergh had mapped the trans-Atlantic
course. It was in recognition of this
service to the two Frenchmen as well
as his own record making flight that
the medal was awarded, he said.

Among those at the presentation
were Secretary Adams, Senator Mor-
row, Lindbergh's father-in-law, and
Chairman Wickersham of the law en-
forcement commission.
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PAY DOG TAX TO CO. TREAS.
Dog taxes are now payable at the
office of the County Treasurer at the
Court House. Pay now and avoid
penalty. WM. FERGUSON,
County Treasurer.

The trouble with an era of low
prices is that few people outside the
wealthy, have the money to take ad-
vantage of the low prices. Prosperity
and rising prices always seem to go
together.



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More than Twenty Ball and Roller Bearings

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You will save many dollars because of the low first
cost of the Ford, low cost of operation and up-keep and
low yearly depreciation.

Call or telephone for a demonstration



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Phone 40—Grayling, Mich.

Local Happenings

Men's and Women's high top shoes
at \$4.40, at Olson's Sale. Adv.

Clare Millikin of Life Lake is visit-
ing his father, Wm. Millikin and other
relatives in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Cox are enjoy-
ing a visit from the latter's sister,
Mrs. Florence Martin of Reed City.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Scott and sis-
ter Miss Ethel Ostrander spent Sat-
urday in Roscommon visiting rela-
tives.

Earl Wood and a party of gentle-
men friends from Bay City enjoyed
the Winter Sports at Lake Margrethe
last Sunday.

Miss Marguerite Denewett is
spending a few weeks at Higgins
Lake, the guest of Mr. and Mrs.
Herman Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Scott had as
their guests over Sunday the latter's
aunt and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clare
Overmyer of Roscommon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Scott, and
children moved to South Branch Sun-
day to make their home with the
former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B.
Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schmidt spent
a few days in Chicago last week
visiting friends, Miss Marie, who ac-
companied them remained for a long-
er visit.

Buy your shoes and hose now for
the big Winter Sports dance, next
week. Save 20%, at Olsons. Adv.

The musical comedy "That's That"
which was to have been given at the
school auditorium Feb. 11 by the
Ladies Aid of Michelson Memorial
church, has been postponed on ac-
count of the illness of the director.

Miss Irene McKay returned Thurs-
day from Chicago where she had been
since the first part of the month
taking a post-graduate course in
anesthetics, for which she received
her certificate. Later she expects to
take a similar course in X-ray work.

There was a good sized crowd took
in the Winter Sports last Sunday at
Lake Margrethe. No charge was
made for any of the sports, only tags
were sold and one contributed just
what he liked. Quite a good sum was
realized from the tag sale. This was
really the opening of the slide for
Grayling people.

To honor Mrs. H. W. Wolf, Mrs.
Esbern-Hanson entertained with a
very delightful luncheon at her home
Wednesday afternoon. Sweetpeas
graced the center of the small tables
on which the luncheon was served.
Four tables were filled for the game.
Mrs. Oscar-Hanson held the high
score. The honor guest also received
a prize.

Mrs. Otto Cox was hostess to the
Birthday club Thursday afternoon.
There were a large number of mem-
bers present and the afternoon was
spent in sewing and visiting. Mrs.
Cox had some entertaining contests

for guests, prizes going to Mrs.
Ernest Bissonette, Mrs. Neal McDan-
iel and Mrs. Wm. Laurent. The
Club presented Mrs. Cox with a love-
ly birthday gift. The hostess served
a delicious lunch late in the after-
noon. The Club will meet with Mrs.
Wm. Laurent next Thursday.

Want Ads

STOLEN from my fish shanty at
Lake Margrethe, one spear. Part-
ies taking same please leave at
Trudeau store and no questions will
be asked. Frank Galloway.

FOR LEASE—Hotel located in Mich-
igan—Central Station Bldg. at
Mackinaw City. Reasonable to re-
liable party. Apply Supt. Office,
Michigan Central Railroad, Bay
City.

PUREBRED BARRED ROCKS—Cer-
tified Leghorns. Before you buy,
write for "FREE" circular telling
all about our breeding and the
profits it produces. Also our very
reasonable chick prices which will
surprise you. Sterling Poultry
Farm, Sterling, Mich. 1-22-tf.

FOR SALE—Trailer, 2 electric mo-
tors, portable phonograph, sewing
machine and other household arti-
cles. J. G. Leverton, DuClos house,
Norway street. 1-15-3

SALESMEN—We need local rep-
resentative to call on permanent
customers with 1/2-price Bargain
Offer. Write for territory today.
Good pay to start. Realsilk Hosiery
Mills, Citizens Bank Bldg., Flint,
Mich. 1-16-3

WANTED—Family and piece wash-
ing. Residence one block north of
Main street, on U. S.-27, across
from Leitz Tailor Shop. Mrs. Mar-
garet Kandrow. 1-16-3

RELIABLE MAN WANTED—to call
on farmers in Crawford and Oscoda
counties. Wonderful opportunity.
Make \$8 to \$20 daily. No experi-
ence or capital needed. Write to-
day. McNESS CO., Dept. B, Free-
port, Illinois. 1-22-4

WORK WANTED—Washing, house-
work or work of any kind. Mrs.
William Ellis, near Ed. Chalker
residence on Maple Street.

FOR SALE—Four room house. Build-
ing is in excellent condition; has
good roof and porches; cement
foundation and 12 x 12 cement base-
ment with cement floor; good
garage, wood and coal shed. Bar-
gain for anyone. Phone 111. O. P.
Schumann, Realtor.

WANTED—Housework of any

VILLAGE COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Meeting held on the 5th day of January A. D. 1931, Grayling, Michigan.

Meeting called to order by President C. W. Olsen.

Trustees Present: Thomas Cassidy, A. L. Roberts, Emil Giegling, E. G. Shaw and A. J. Joseph.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Report of Finance Committee to the President and members of the Common Council of the Village of Grayling:

Your committee on Finance, Claims and Accounts respectfully recommend that the accompanying bills be allowed as follows:

1 Michigan Public Service Co., pump-house power	\$201.31
2 Michigan Public Service Co., pump-house lights	3.00
3 Michigan Public Service Co., hose house	1.00
4 Michigan Public Service Co., fire siren	3.00
5 Michigan Public Service Co., traffic lights	11.10
6 Michigan Public Service Co., street lights	168.00
7 Michigan Public Service Co., Blvd. lights	119.00
8 Tri-County Telephone Co., Inv. 1-2-31	10.00
9 Grayling Greenhouses, Inv. 1-2-31	8.00
10 Burkes Garage, Inv. 1-2-31	\$4.50 18.50
Burkes Garage, Inv. 1-2-31	12.00
11 Cutler-Hammer Company, Inv. 1-2-31	40.33
12 J. F. Smith Service Sta., Inv. 1-2-31	8.12
13 Western Union Telegraph Co., Inv. 1-2-31	.66
14 A. J. Nelson, fire report 12-27	20.00
A. J. Nelson, fire report 12-29	20.00
A. J. Nelson, fire report 12-31	18.00
15 Len Isenbauer, payroll ending 12-12	42.75
Len Isenbauer, payroll ending 12-26	11.55
16 Grayling Machine Shop, Inv. 1-5-31	.80

Moved by A. L. Roberts and supported by Thomas Cassidy that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn on the Treasurer for same. Yeas and nays voted called. Yeas: Cassidy, Roberts, Giegling, Shaw and Joseph. Motion carried.

Moved by Emil Giegling and supported by A. J. Joseph that we transfer monies available in Grayling Waterworks account to the General Fund of the Village of Grayling. Yeas and nays voted called. Yeas: Cassidy, Roberts, Giegling, Shaw and Joseph. Motion carried.

Moved by A. L. Roberts and supported by Thomas Cassidy that Axel M. Peterson be appointed to fill the vacancy caused by resignation of Frank Sales. Yeas and nays voted called. All present voting yeas. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that we adjourn. Lorane Sparkes, Clerk. C. W. Olsen, President.

Rat Killing a Major Job in San Francisco

San Francisco.—Rat killing has developed into an industry in San Francisco, according to James E. Smith, chief sanitary inspector for the federal government. There are more than 18,000 rat traps working daily here, Smith said. The kill last year, when activity in this peculiar line was not so pronounced, totaled 38,000 rats. Four federal employees, assisted by two city employees, comprise the rat killing force.

Drives Truck 50 Years Without One Accident

Cincinnati, Ohio.—This city, which has an annual toll of motor accident deaths greater than its World War losses, has a truck driver who has completed fifty years without a single accident. He started with one horse and finished with a motor truck, and he did all his driving for the same company, not only driving from store to warehouse, but all over the city, delivering merchandise to back doors. His achievement was duly celebrated with a banquet, a watch presentation, and retirement on full pay. "I never did anything wonderful, only my plain duty," he said. His name is George Heiber, and his record has been printed by *Cincinnati Weekly*, for use in a nation-wide campaign to encourage careful and intelligent driving.

MISSOURIAN FINDS WOES IN WEALTH

Pays Million Debts and Turns From Finance.

Kansas City, Mo.—Twelve years ago he was a millionaire-magnate, that is, he owed a million.

And today Emory J. Sweeney of this city is a schoolman, free of debt—and he intends to stay that way. Making the million in real estate developments was difficult enough, but paying his debts of a million was even more difficult so he has no desire for either experience again.

Mr. Sweeney settled his debts by disposing of some of the luxuries which his fortune brought him. They included a huge mansion, a ten-story business building, a fleet of motor cars valued at \$100,000, a huge real estate subdivision, and a radio station. Today the man lives in a comfortable home and owns a three-story building where his school is conducted.

The good heart of Mr. Sweeney actually proved his undoing. He was at the height of his prosperity at the end of the World war, when influenza swept the nation and snapped the backbone of his fortune.

"I took care of the sick boys, although I was only paid to teach them," Sweeney explains. "Influenza became the country's problem, and I thought those boys my own problem. I bought and rented hospitals—and paid the bills out of my pocket."

The real estate business suddenly seemed stricken by illness, too, for Mr. Sweeney met trouble in that field also. Finally he counted his debts at the million mark, and then he began paying his obligations. The last settlement was made just a few days ago when he disposed of his Indian Village, a recreation land development from which he at once then expected to realize another fortune.

Inside Information

When cooking baked potatoes, score or prick the skin to let the steam escape.

Jerkies cookies can be made from any stiff cookie dough. Instead of rolling out the cookies and cutting them into fancy shapes, roll the dough into a cylindrical piece, cover it with a clean cloth, and store it in the ice box overnight to become firm. With a sharp knife slice the cookies off thin when ready to bake them.

Hard-boiled egg yolks have many uses. They are a valuable source of food and so should always be utilized. Hard-boiled yolks in the double boiler, wash, and season for sandwich filling. Or use either hard-boiled or raw yolks as a foundation for salad dressing. Raw egg yolks can be mixed with chopped beef to broil in cakes or bake in a roll. Several good egg sauces for fish or meat can be made with the yolks only, and soft custard for dessert does not require the whites.

Demand Is Increasing for Light Airplanes

London.—Use of light airplanes for hard military and commercial service appears to be constantly growing.

Eighty-three Moth light-planes are now being constructed. When they are completed and tested the royal air force will use them for training and general service duties.

The New Zealand military of defense also has ordered eight light planes and ten are being constructed for the Chinese air corps.

Four of the planes built for China will be equipped with interchangeable float and undercarriages. One of the planes ordered by New Zealand also is to be fitted for sea work. One British company alone has now contracts for light aircraft totaling \$10,000.

Denver Police Declare War on Auto Lotharios

Denver.—Denver police have declared "war" on automobile men. Police Chief Reed issued orders to halt and question every man seen to drive his auto to the curb near a woman. His action followed numerous complaints made by young girls and women. Assistant City Attorney George Bakke said every sidewalk or automobile Lothario who is arrested will be prosecuted. The difficulty in prosecuting alleged offenders, he said, lies in the reluctance of their victims to "testify" in court.

THE MARKET BASKET

(By the Bureau of Home Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture, and the Woman's Division of the President's Emergency Committee for Employment.)

Family Food Guide

Every meal—Milk for children, bread for all.

Every day—Cereal in porridge or puddings.

Potatoes, Tomatoes (or oranges) for children. A green or yellow vegetable. A fruit or additional vegetable.

Milk for all.

Two to four times a week—Tomatoes for all. Dried beans and peas or peanuts. Eggs (especially for children). Lean meat, fish or poultry, or cheese.

Be sure you have plenty of vitamin "A" in your diet during the winter months if you hope to keep up resistance to infections of the eyes, nose and throat, ears and eyes, says the Bureau of Home Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

People living on a minimum food budget should especially heed this warning and buy foods that will give them the maximum nutrition for their money. In the winter the body is subject to sudden chills and changes in temperature; consequently lack of adequate food is more quickly reflected in general wellbeing during cold weather than in the summer.

Fresh whole milk, liver and kidney, green leafy vegetables, raw carrots, butter, and cod-liver oil contain generous amounts of this vitamin "A". It is sometimes called the "anti-infective" vitamin. Laboratory tests on white rats, which show conclusively that whenever vitamin "A" is left out of the diet, the areas mentioned above are likely to become infected.

During the war Denmark exported its milk fat, and a great many Danish children developed eye infection. It was cleared up by feeding vitamin "A". In this respect the experiments on rats and humans were alike. It is probable that occurrences of other infections in humans are similar to those found in rats that are fed rations deficient in this vitamin.

Vitamin "A" is necessary, the year-round bureau says, and it is especially important for children, since it is also indispensable for normal growth. Food can satisfy the appetite and yet not be sufficient for health. This condition often exists when there is not enough money to provide a wide variety of foods in the diet.

Children suffer more last effects than do adults during such periods as drought and the present employment emergency. If they eat foods which lack vitamins, they do not get the necessary materials with which to grow and build. Poor teeth, rickets, stunted growth and lowered resistance are the usual results.

The bureau has prepared the "Family Food Guide" which accompanies this article. Those who follow it will be safeguarded against the diseases that come in the train of malnutrition. It is composed of a comparatively large allowance of milk and cereal with little meat, fish, cheese, and eggs. This is supplemented by vegetables, fruits, legumes, and a relatively small amount of fats and sugar. Oranges or fresh or canned tomatoes are included to insure against scurvy.

The food guide was developed at the request of the Woman's Division of the President's Emergency Committee for Employment of which Dr. Elman M. Gilbreth is chairman. A family of ten can buy food for one week, for \$12.23, if they adopt this food guide to their three meals served each day, according to the bureau estimate. The figures are the average gathered in twelve cities from coast to coast. The prices for each city are as follows: Pittsburgh, \$10.01; Los Angeles, \$11.45; Detroit, \$11.69; Chicago, \$11.73; St. Louis, \$12.30; New Orleans, \$12.44; Kansas City, Mo., \$12.69; Atlanta, \$12.94; Washington, D. C., \$13.06; Charlotte, \$13.07; New York City, \$13.30.

A family of ten, including three adults and seven children, should buy every week:

Flour and cereal (1½ lbs bread equals 1 lb. cereal)	30 to 40 lbs.
Whole fresh milk	43 to 50 qts.
Canned unsweetened milk	33 to 56 cans
Potatoes	30 to 40 lbs.
Dried beans, pea, peanut butter	30 to 40 lbs.
Dried tomatoes	2 to 5 lbs.
Other vegetables (including some of green or yellow color)	6 No. 3 cans
and inexpensive fruits	30 to 40 lbs.
Fats, such as lard, salt pork, bacon, margarine, butter, etc.	6 lbs.
Sugar and molasses	2 to 5 lbs.
Lean meat, fish, cheese, eggs (4 doz. eggs approximately)	10 to 14 lbs.
1 lb.	1 lb.
Eggs (for children)	8 eggs
Coffee	1½ lbs.
Tea	¼ lb.

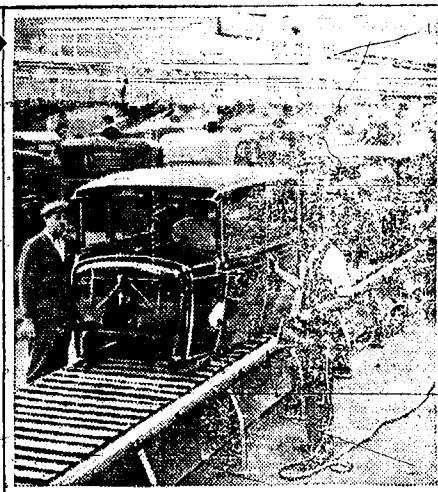
MENU FOR ONE DAY

Breakfast	Milk
Cooked cereal	Molasses
Hot biscuit	
Dinner	
Hopping John with tomato sauce	Scalloped potatoes
Raw cabbage and carrot salad (cooked carrots for youngest children) with crisp green lettuce	Milk for children
Coffee	Butter or margarine
Supper	
Cheese with spaghetti or macaroni	Milk toast for children
Tea for adults	
Stewed fruit	Butter or margarine
Hopping John with Tomato Sauce	
2 cups dried beans, ½ lb. salt pork, 2 cups cooked rice, 2 medium-sized onions, 2 teaspoonsful salt (depending upon saltiness of pork), pepper.	
Soak the beans overnight in 4 cups water. In the morning add 4 more cups, and cook gently until tender. Cut the salt pork into small pieces, brown in a skillet. Add these cubes to the beans. Chop the onion fine, brown in the salt pork fat, mix with the beans, add salt and pepper. Combine the beans with the cooked rice, continue cooking for 10 minutes, and serve with tomato sauce.	
Tomato Sauce	
1 ½ cups canned tomatoes, 4 slices onion, 2 teaspoons sugar, 2 whole cloves, 2 whole cloves, flour, salt and pepper.	
Simmer the tomato, onion, sugar, and spices for 10 minutes. Strain through a fine sieve, and measure the liquid. For each cup of liquid blend 2 tablespoons flour with enough water to make into a smooth thin sauce, add to the tomato juice with salt and pepper to season, and stir until thickened. Continue to cook over hot water for 5 or 10 minutes. Serve hot over the Hopping John.	
Cabbage and Carrot Salad	
Use equal parts of grated carrots and finely shredded cabbage. Mix the carrots and cabbage together with seasoning (salad dressing if desired) until well blended. Serve on crisp green lettuce.	
Cheese With Spaghetti or Macaroni	
4 cups macaroni or spaghetti broken into small pieces, 4 tablespoons flour, 8 tablespoons fat, 4 cups milk, 2 teaspoons salt, 1 lb. sharp-flavored cheese, shaved thin.	
Cook the macaroni or spaghetti in 4 quarts of boiling salted water until tender and drain. Make a sauce of the flour, fat, milk, and salt. Cook over hot water for 5 to 10 minutes. Take it from the stove, add the cheese, and stir until the cheese is melted. Pour the cheese sauce over the hot spaghetti and serve at once.	

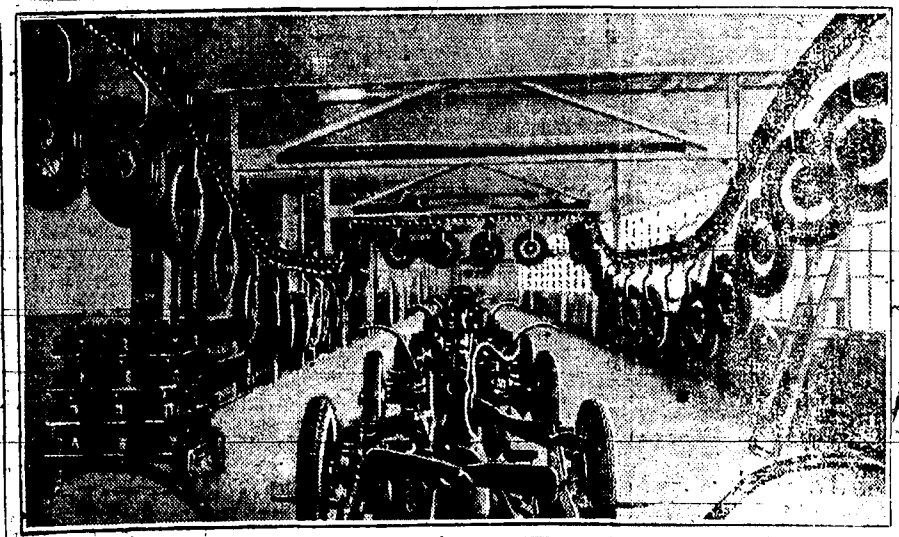
Conveyors Carry Ford Car Parts



Train unload in the plant



Bodies starting through the shop



Conveyors carry wheels with mounted tires over a line on which cars pass to complete the third view is of the conveyor system used to move wheels to the chassis which conveyor. As indicated in the picture, a car wheel moves around and over the chassis as a chassis enters the section, over each take a wheel from the hoist and chassis.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN TEST SOUND EFFECTS IN NOISY ROOM

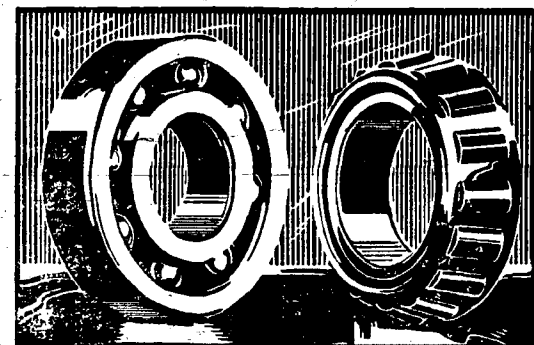
Radio microphones and an echo-chamber give more accurate results in testing the loudness of sounds than does a room heavily padded in an attempt to smother all but the original source of sound, University of Michigan physicists working under the direction of Professor F. A. Firestone have proved.

The University of Michigan sound room is located three stories underground beneath the East Physics building. Standing on its own foundation, and with an air space at the sides and top, the room is in fact an independent small building buried within a larger one, and unaffected in any appreciable degree by

Shoots Rabbit in Tree

Monticello, N. Y.—Kenneth Somerville is pondering over the possibility of rabbits as "tree climbers." While hunting with several friends near here he saw what he believed to be a hare squirrel in a tree. The look and fired. Down came the animal. It was a gray rabbit.

FORD SMOOTHNESS



The new Ford has more than twenty ball and roller bearings

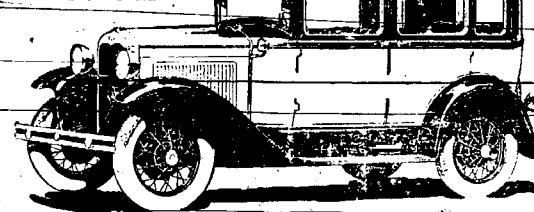
EVIDENCE of the high quality built into the new Ford is the extensive use of ball and roller bearings. There are more than twenty in all—an unusually large number. Each bearing is adequate in size and carefully selected for the work it has to do.

At some points in the Ford chassis you will find ball bearings. At others, roller bearings are used regardless of their higher cost. The deciding factor is the performance of the car.

The extensive use of ball and roller bearings in the new Ford insures smoother operation, saves gasoline, increases speed and power, gives quicker pick-up, decreases noise, and gives greater reliability and longer life to vital moving parts.

Other outstanding features that make the new Ford a value far above the price are the Triplex shatter-proof glass windshield, silent, fully enclosed four-wheel brakes, four Houdaille double-acting hydraulic shock absorbers, aluminum pistons, chrome silicon alloy valves, three-quarter floating rear axle, Rustless Steel, the extensive use of fine steel forgings, and unusual accuracy in manufacturing.

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Southern States Join in War on Illiteracy

Washington.—Four southern states, Georgia, Alabama, South Carolina and Louisiana have taken the lead in the campaign against illiteracy, according to reports of the national advisory committee on illiteracy.

In these states a total of 210,270 illiterates were taught to read and write. This number given instruction in reading follows: Georgia, 40,857; Alabama, 11,729; South Carolina, 6,345; and Louisiana, 10,331.

The committee, of which Honorable Ray Lyman Wilbur is chairman, also conducted campaigns in Virginia, West Virginia, Tennessee and Arkansas, but returns for these states have not come in. It is planned to extend the campaign to all the states in the Union in order to give every illiterate a chance to learn.

The four states that have taken the lead in the campaign thus far were the only ones given outside financial aid. The Julius Rosenwald fund supplied them with one dollar for every two dollars raised locally.

Widow With 6 Children Rules British Island

London.—A widow with six children, Mrs. Dudley Beaumont, holds the distinction of being the only woman governor within the British empire, now sitting full administrative powers. Mrs. Beaumont—who holds the title of the Dame of Sark, rules the island of Sark, which consists of less than 300 acres with a population of approximately 600. It is one of the Channel group of islands.

She presides over a parliament which meets thrice yearly and supervises finances of the island, where taxes still are paid in kind and the houses assessed according to the number of their chimneys. Because of her position, she alone on the island is allowed to keep doves.

According to philologists, the people of Sark speak the purest Norman French to be heard anywhere and faithfully preserve the speech of William the Conqueror and his followers.

Community Still Used by Neighbors Seized in Raid

Cleveland.—The neighbors of a seized community still are used by the neighbors. The neighbors of a seized community still are used by the neighbors. The neighbors of a seized community still are used by the neighbors.

Not Appendix; Pin

Ocala, Fla.—Ever since he was eleven years old, P. J. Aschard, now sixteen, complained of a pain in his side. The surgeon first thought it was the appendix, but after a long and fruitless operation, it was found to be a pin.

Rats Block Rivers.

Lake Is Going Dry

Capetown, South Africa.—German explorers who have just returned from the Namoi Lake district report that Lake Namoi was formerly a deep lake 20 miles long and 10 miles wide. Today it is very shallow and almost dry, because, according to the natives, rats had gnawed a number of rivers from the lake into it.

How One Woman Lost 20 Lbs. of Fat

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If you're fat—first remove the cause!

Take one half teaspoonful of KRUSCHEN SALT in a glass of hot water before breakfast every morning—cut out pastry and fatty meats—go light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar—in 3 weeks get on the scales and note how many pounds of fat have vanished.

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